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Applicants:

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Outstanding Office Action Mailed March 31, 2003

Original Period for Response Expired June 30, 2003

Request for Extension of 3 Month(s) to September 30, 2003

Small Ent. Petn. Fee Enc.: \$465.00 (3 month)

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Sir:

In the above application, the Applicants respectfully petition that the period for response to the outstanding Office Action indicated above be extended for the additional three months also indicated above. A response to such Office Action and the above Petition Fee (Small Entity) is enclosed herewith. (This extension will not extend the time over the statutory period of six months from the date of the Office Action.)

Very respectfully,

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